

REMARKS

Applicant hereby elects Group II, Claims 2-4, characterized by the Examiner as being drawing to address reordering, for further prosecution on the merits. The election is made without traverse. Applicant respectfully submits that Claims 5-16 newly added herein also belong to Group II and should be examined with elected claims 2-4.

Claim Status


Claims 2-16 are pending after entry of the present amendment. Claim 1 is withdrawn herein. Claims 5-16 are added. A complete listing of all claims that are, or were in the application, along with an appropriate status identifier, is provided above in the section entitled "Amendments to the Claims". Markings are provided on claims amended in the present amendment.

Support for the above claim amendments can be found throughout the originally filed specification, drawings, and claims. See for example, pages 23-27.

CONCLUSION

Prompt and favorable consideration of this Amendment and Response is respectfully requested. If the Examiner believes, for any reason, that personal communication will expedite prosecution of the application, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at (415) 781-1989.

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